

# Army of the United States



To all who shall see these presents, greeting:

Know ye, that reposing special trust and confidence in the fidelity and abilities  
of AVIATION STUDENT JACK HARDING GARDNER 6584227, I do hereby appoint him  
\* STAFF SERGEANT PILOT, AIR CORPS, ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES,

to rank as such from the FIFTH day of AUGUST  
one thousand nine hundred and FORTY-TWO. He is therefore carefully and diligently  
to discharge the duty of STAFF SERGEANT PILOT by doing and performing all manner of  
things thereunto belonging. And I do strictly charge and require all Noncommissioned Officers  
and Soldiers under his command to be obedient to his orders as STAFF SERGEANT PILOT  
And he is to observe and follow such orders and directions from time to time, as he shall receive  
from his Superior Officers and Noncommissioned Officers set over him, according to the rules and  
discipline of War.

Given under my hand at RANDOLPH FIELD, TEXAS  
this TWENTY-THIRD day of JULY in the year of our Lord one thousand nine  
hundred and FORTY-TWO

By command of Major General HARMON:

*H. W. Holden*

H. W. HOLDEN  
Colonel, General Staff, Chief of Staff.



RESTRICTED  
HEADQUARTERS AIR TRANSPORT COMMAND  
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL

Washington, D. C.  
December 23, 1942

SPECIAL ORDERS)

NO. 276)

EXTRACT

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ARMY AIR FORCES  
Headquarters, Air Transport Command  
WASHINGTON

In reply  
refer to 201

December 24, 1942

SUBJECT: Appointment as Flight Officer.

TO : Flight Officer **Jack Harding Gardner**  
Army of the United States

A T-186759


1. You are appointed a Flight Officer, Army of the United States to rank from **Dec. 24, 1942**. Your serial number is shown after A above.

2. This appointment will continue in force for the duration of the War and six months thereafter unless sooner terminated.

3. There is inclosed herewith a form for oath of office which you are requested to execute and return. The execution and return of the required oath of office constitute an acceptance of your appointment. No other evidence of acceptance is required.

4. This letter should be retained by you as evidence of your appointment.

By Command of Major General GEORGE:

  
D. M. BARR,  
Capt., Air Corps,  
Asst., Adjutant.

Inclosure:  
Form for oath of office.



HEADQUARTERS AIR TRANSPORT COMMAND  
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL

Washington, D. C.  
December 24, 1942

PERSONNEL ORDERS)  
NO. 5)

EXTRACT

1. Pursuant to authority contained in AR 95-60, WD, 1942, and ltr, Hq., AAF, to CG, ATC, Subject: "Appointment of Sgt. Pilots as Flight Officers", dated November 17, 1942, the following named Flight Officers, AUS, are re-rated pilots:

\*\*\*  
F/O JACK HARDING GARDNER, T-186,759  
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2. Pursuant to auth contained in Par. 2, AR 35-1480, dated October 10, 1942, and ltr, Hq., AAF, to CG, ATC, Subject: "Appointment of Sgt. Pilots as Flight Officers", dated November 17, 1942, the following named officers who hold an aeronautical rating are hereby required to participate in regular and frequent aerial flights:

\*\*\*  
F/O JACK HARDING GARDNER, T-186,759  
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By command of Major General GEORGE:

D. M. BARR,  
Capt., Air Corps,  
Asst. Adjutant.

OFFICIAL:

/s/D. M. Barr  
D. M. BARR,  
Capt., Air Corps,  
Asst. Adjutant.

A TRUE EXTRACT COPY:

JACK H. GARDNER,  
1st Lt, Air Corps



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December 24, 1942

SPECIAL ORDERS)  
NO. 277)

3. Pursuant to authority contained in AR 610-50, War Department, November 5, 1942, and letter, Hq., AAF, to CG, ATC, November 17, 1942, the following named temporary appointments to the grade of Flight Officer, AUS, with rank from December 24, 1942, are announced:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>FLIGHT OFFICER SERIAL #</u>	<u>STATION ASSGN.</u>
S/Sgt. THOMAS MERLE FROST 13009046	T-186,731	ATC Transition Unit, St. Joseph Missouri
S/Sgt. JOHN HENRY JACKSON 6954642	T-186,732	"
S/Sgt. CHARLEY H. JONES, 18053087	T-186,772	
S/Sgt. KENNETH WILLIAM SMITH 6571708	T-186, 733	6th Ferrying Gp., Long Beach, Calif.
S/Sgt. JAMES HUGH HILEY 6833896	T-186,734	"
S/Sgt. OWEN LEROY CLARK 6955102	T-186,735	"
S/Sgt. ROBERT ARNOLD MAGOON 11017184	T-186,736	"
S/Sgt. ROBERT WILLIAM LEWIS 19012285	T-186,737	"
S/Sgt. JOHN LEWIS ROGERS 16026859	T-186,738	"
S/Sgt. WILLIAM DEERMAN PRICE 6283016	T-186,739	"
S/Sgt. MARION DAVID BUNCH 6579447	T-186,740	"
S/Sgt. WILLIAM ALLEN GRER 18025576	T-186,741	"
S/Sgt. JAMES OSBORNE SHADY 39156621	T-186,742	"
S/Sgt. WARREN HENRY KIPP 17000395	T-186,743	"
S/Sgt. CARL MOESLY 14056082	T-186,744	"
S/Sgt. MERVIN HALL PEASE 6935885	T-186,745	"
S/Sgt. HARRY LYN DACE 18032255	T-186,746	"
S/Sgt. MANFRED ALVIN EDSTON, JR. 16027903	T-186,747	"
S/Sgt. DANIEL JAMES HOLLOWELL 18007579	T-186,748	"
S/Sgt. JOSEPH FLORIAN GRUCZA 15018105	T-186,749	"

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<u>NAME</u>	<u>FLIGHT OFFICER SERIAL #</u>	<u>STATION ASSGN.</u>
S/Sgt. PAUL ADAM BEACH 20911345	T-186,750	6th Ferrying Gp., Long Beach, Cal.
S/Sgt. BILLY YOUNG LETT 15019753	T-186,751	"
S/Sgt. HUBERT P. HALPTON 37070135	T-186,752	"
Sgt. LELAND CARL KOHLSCHEEN 17012177	T-186,753	"
/Sgt. RICHARD FRANK SALMAN 20813143	T-186,754	"
/Sgt. DALE CLIFFTON ROBERTS 19002531	T-186,755	"
S/Sgt. WILLIAM DOUGLAS BOWEN 6295535	T-186,756	"
S/Sgt. CHARLES IVERSON BENNETT, JR. 14057747	T-186,757	"
S/Sgt. WILLIAM G. ARNOT, JR., 18021035	T-186,758	"
S/Sgt. JACK HARDING GARDNER, 6584227	T-186,759	"
S/Sgt. KENNETH ARTHUR LEE, 6931274	T-186,760	"
S/Sgt. LYMAN ELLISON BECK, 6938794	T-186,761	"
S/Sgt. RICHARD GORDON STOUT 17025565	T-186,762	"
S/Sgt. ROBERT AUGUST WEGNER 19032500	T-186,763	"
S/Sgt. JOHN CALVIN DUNCAN, JR. 18034727	T-186,764	"
S/Sgt. JAMES McDONALD 6913742	T-186,765	"
S/Sgt. JIM REES BUSH 6581462	T-186,766	"
S/Sgt. HERMAN ANDREW ALBERTINI 16018557	T-186,767	"
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S/Sgt. HOWARD LYSLE BERG 6936221	T-186,771	"

By command of Major General GEORGE:

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/s/ D. M. BARR  
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*Charles F. Lafferty*  
CHARLES F. LAFFERTY  
2nd Lieut., Air Corps



WAR DEPARTMENT  
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

IN REPLY  
REFER TO AG 201 Gardner, Jack Harding WASHINGTON  
(5-3-43)PR-A

AT 4333

SUBJECT: Temporary Appointment.

May 3, 1943

Through: Commanding Officer, AAF, 6th Fy. Gp., ATC,  
Long Beach, California.

To: Flight Officer Jack Harding Gardner, AUS,

A 0-520497

(Temp. Appointed 2nd Lt. AUS)

1. By direction of the President you are temporarily appointed and commissioned in the Army of the United States, effective this date, in the grade and section shown in the address above. Your serial number is shown after A above.

2. This commission will continue in force during the pleasure of the President of the United States for the time being, and for the duration of the war and six months thereafter unless sooner terminated.

3. There is inclosed herewith a form for oath of office which you are requested to execute and return promptly to the agency from which it was received by you. The execution and return of the required oath of office constitute an acceptance of your appointment. No other evidence of acceptance is required.

4. This letter should be retained by you as evidence of your appointment as no commissions will be issued during the war.

5. Separate instructions as to your discharge and issuance of active duty orders will be issued.

By order of the Secretary of War:

Inclosure:  
Form for oath of office.  
Envelope

Copy for: C.G., Army Air Forces,  
Chief, Procurement Unit,  
Room 2508, AAF Annex #1,  
Gravelly Point.

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Major General.  
The Adjutant General.





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Special Orders )

WAR DEPARTMENT,

No. 124 )

Washington,

## EXTRACT

Paragraph 20. DP following officer ordered to AD WP fr home to sta on date indicated. TDN. FD 31 P 431-01, 02, 03, 07, 08, A 0425-23.  
 All dates are 1942 and personnel of AUS unless otherwise indicated:

Grade, Name, Section and Home Address	Eff. Date of Duty	Branch and Station to which Assigned	Date of Rank
2ND LT Jack Harding Gardner 0520497, Gridley, Calif (Now at Long Beach, Calif)	9 May 1943	AC, STO, 6th Ferrying Op, Ferrying Div, Long Beach Army Air Fld, Long Beach, Calif	9 May 1943

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Major General,

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G. C. MARSHALL,

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2ND LT Harry Lyn Dace 0520618 Drumright, Okla (Now at Long Beach, Calif)	"	"	"
2ND LT Manfred Alvin Ekstrom, Jr 0520493 Rosholt, S-Dak (Now at Long Beach, Calif)	"	"	"
2ND LT Jack Harding Gardner 0520497, Gridley, Calif (Now at Long Beach, Calif)	"	"	"
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2ND LT William Guy Arnot Jr 0520624 Breckenridge, Tex (Now at Long Beach, Calif)	9 May 1943	AC, ATC, 6th Ferrying Gp Ferrying Div, Long Beach Army Air Fld, Long Beach, Calif	9 May 1943
2ND LT William Douglas Bowen 0520638 Campbell, Tex (Now at Long Beach, Calif)	"	"	"
2ND LT Harry Lyn Dace 0520618 Drumright, Okla (Now at Long Beach, Calif)	"	"	"
2ND LT Manfred Alvin Ekstrom, Jr 0520493 Rosholt, S Dak (Now at Long Beach, Calif)	"	"	"
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2ND LT Richard Frank Salman	9 May	AC, ATC, 6th Ferrying Gp	9 May
0520503 Rankin, Tex	1943	Ferrying Div; Long Beach	1943
(Now at Long Beach, Calif)		Army Air Fld, Long Beach,	
		Calif	

2ND LT Donald Earl Schaefer	"	"	"
0520661 Long Beach, Calif			

2ND LT James Osborne Shaddy	"	"	"
0520502 Los Angeles, Calif			
(Now at Long Beach, Calif)			

2ND LT Harry Henry Stubba	"	"	"
0520599, Oswego, N-Y			
(Now at Long Beach, Calif)			

2ND LT Robert August Wegner	"	"	"
0520506 Pullman, Wash			
(Now at Long Beach, Calif)			

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*Richard W. Bailey*  
RICHARD W. BAILEY  
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No. 124 )

Washington, May 4, 1943

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2ND LT Jack Harding Gardner 0520497, Gridley, Calif (Now at Long Beach, Calif)	9 May 1943	AC, ATC, 6th Ferrying Gp, Ferrying Div, Long Beach Army Air Fld, Long Beach, Calif	9 May 1943

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HEADQUARTERS  
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(21ST FERRYING GROUP)  
FERRYING DIVISION, ATC  
Palm Springs Army Air Field  
Palm Springs, California

SPECIAL ORDERS)

23 May 44

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6. S/Sgt Francis F. Stefani, 39090081, (60th Aaft Engineering Sq), is atzd to reside off the Post and in accord with WD Cir 150, 1944, is atzd to draw sep rat, off this date.

7. In accord with WD Cir 150, 1944, Pvt Albert J. Piatti, 32911830, (Hq & Hq Sq), is atzd to draw sep rat, off this date.

8. Pvt Bernard Roden, 39706453, (747), having rptd for dy pp 2, SO 49, Hq, 561st AAF Base Unit, (1st CTU), FD, ATC, Rosecrans Fld, St Joseph, Mo, 18 May 44, is asgd 560th AAF Base Unit.

9. The following EM, having rptd for dy pp 6, SO 48, Hq, 550th AAF Base Unit, (20th Fer Gp), FD, ATC, Municipal Airport, Nashville, Tenn, 18 May 44, are asgd 560th AAF Base Unit:

(747) Pfc Sylvio L. Frechette 31263400 (52L) Pvt Donald L. Crompton 39923170

10. The following Off, AC, are granted lvs of abs for the number of days shown, off o/a dates indicated:

2ND LT WALTER L. LINDON  
2ND LT DON P. HERRON

0794957 (73rd Fer Sq) 8 days o/a 24 May 44  
0683696 (72nd Fer Sq) 7 days o/a 24 May 44

These Off must rpt this sta 1200 P.T, 2 June 44.

11. 2ND LT FRANCIS G. CRAVEN, JR., 0662751, (73rd Fer Sq), is granted a 15 day lv of abs, off o/a 25 May 44.

12. So much of Par 5, SO 15, this Hq, cs, as reads, "temp dy not to exceed 30 days", is amended to read, "temp dy not to exceed 74 days". (RE: Cpl Frances R. Stanga, A204852, WAC, (WAC Det), ATC WAC Recruiting Team, 556th AAF Base Unit, (6th Fer Gp), FD, ATC, Long Beach AAF, Long Beach, Calif; auth T.X 6060-C, CG Fer Div, 22 May 44).

13. So much of Par 12, SO 29, this Hq, cs, as reads, "temp dy not to exceed 30 days", is amended to read, "temp dy not to exceed 55 days". (RE: Cpl Della M. Hodson, A606306, WAC, (WAC Det), ATC WAC Recruiting Team, 556th AAF Base Unit, (6th Fer Gp), FD, ATC, Long Beach AAF, Long Beach, Calif; auth T.X 6060-C, CG Fer Div 22 May 44).

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(SO 45, Hq, 560th AAF Base Unit, (21st Fer Gp), FD, ATC, AAF, Palm Springs, Calif, 23 May 44, contd)

14. So much of Par 14, SO 38, this Hq, cs, as reads, "temp dy not to exceed 20 days", is amended to read, "temp dy not to exceed 65 days". (RE: S/Sgt Harold C. Steinborn, 19100197, (Hq & Hq Sq), ATC WAC Recruiting Team, 556th AAF Base Unit, (6th Fer Gp), FL, ATC, Long Beach AAF, Long Beach, Calif; auth TTX 6068-C, CG Fer Liv 22 May 44).

15. PAC Par 15, WD SO 116, Washington, D.C., 15 May 44, 2ND LT JACK H. GARDNER, 0520497, AC, (73rd Fer Sq), is promoted to the gr of 1ST LT - AUS, (temporary).

16. Confirming, VCCC 21 May 44, Pvt Charles E. Fivash, 39298820, (754), having rptd for dy that date pp 6, SO 46, Hq, 558th AAF Base Unit, (20th Fer Gp), FL, ATC, Municipal Airport, Nashville, Tenn., 16 May 44, is asgd 560th AAF Base Unit, are hereby confirmed and made a matter of record.

17. Pvt Raymond J. Bryan, Jr., 33368650, (590), having rptd for dy pp 2, SO 18, Hq, 579th AAF Base Unit, (10th Ferrying Service Station), FL, ATC, Tucson Municipal Airport, Tucson, Arizona, 20 May 44, is asgd 560th AAF Base Unit.

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By order of Col MORGAN:

LOUIS BARRELL,  
1st Lt., Air Corps,  
Adjutant.

OFFICIAL:

*Bernard N. Lake*  
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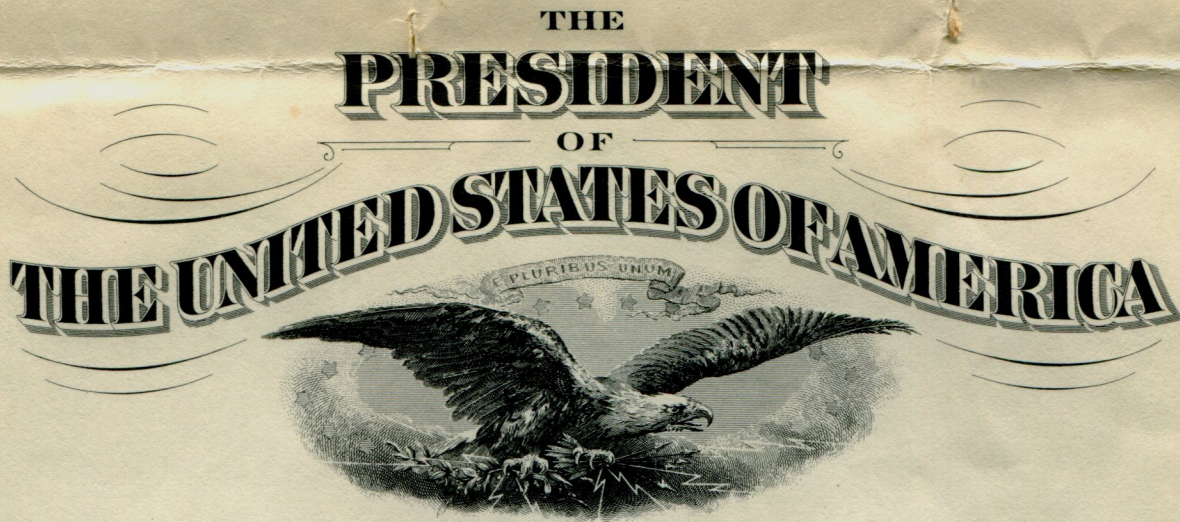
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*To all who shall see these presents, greeting:*  
*Know Ye, that reposing special trust and confidence in the patriotism, valor, fidelity*  
*and abilities of* JACK HARDING GARDNER  
*I do appoint him* FIRST LIEUTENANT, AIR CORPS *in the*

**Army of the United States**

*such appointment to date from the* FIFTEENTH *day of* OCTOBER  
*nineteen hundred and* FORTY-FIVE *He is therefore carefully and diligently to*  
*discharge the duty of the office to which he is appointed by doing and performing all*  
*manner of things thereunto belonging.*

*He will enter upon active duty under this commission only when specifically*  
*ordered to such active duty by competent authority.*

*And I do strictly charge and require all Officers and Soldiers under his command*  
*when he shall be employed on active duty to be obedient to his orders as an officer of his*  
*grade and position. And he is to observe and follow such orders and directions from time*  
*to time, as he shall receive from me, or the future President of the United States of*  
*America, or the General or other Superior Officers set over him, according to the rules*  
*and discipline of War.*

*This Commission evidences an appointment in the Army of the United States, under*  
*the provisions of section 37, National Defense Act, as amended, and is to continue in*  
*force for a period of five years from the date above specified, and during the pleasure*  
*of the President of the United States, for the time being.*

*Done at the City of Washington, this* EIGHTH *day of* JANUARY  
*in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and* FORTY-SIX *and of the*  
*Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and* SEVENTIETH.

*By the President:*

*J. P. Gembicki*  
Adjutant General.



ARMY SERVICE FORCES  
Ninth Service Command  
Headquarters Separation Center  
Camp Beale, California

In Reply  
Refer To CBPC-SC-RP

15 October 1945.

SUBJECT: Appointment under Section 37,  
National Defense Act, as amended

TO: Jack Harding Gardner  
Route #2, Box #96,  
Gridley, California

A 1st Lt., AC.

B O-520497

1. The Secretary of War has directed me to inform you that by direction of the President, you are tendered appointment in the Officers' Reserve Corps, Army of the United States, effective this date, in the grade and section shown after A above. Your serial number is shown after B above.

2. There is inclosed herewith a form for oath of office, which you are requested to execute and return promptly to the agency from which it was received by you. The execution and return of the required oath of office constitute an acceptance of your appointment. No other evidence of acceptance is required. Upon receipt in the War Department of the oath of office, properly executed, a commission evidencing your appointment will be sent to you.

3. Prompt action is requested since the regulations require cancellation of the tender of appointment if acceptance is not received within a reasonable time.

4. You will not perform the duties of an officer under this appointment until specifically so directed by competent orders.

5. Whenever your permanent address is changed, it is important that you notify all concerned, using the inclosed Personal Report form.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

Inclosures:

Form for oath of office  
Personal Report form

*A. E. Simmons*  
A. E. SIMMONS,  
Major, AGD.